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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Siegenthaler, Peter **Report No:** WIR-017954

Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 12-Nov-2010

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: Liu Fa Wen **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

34-0006 **Component: OBG** Components

Summary of Items Observed:

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Hiranch Patel, was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

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Bridge No:

This QA inspector performed UT of approximately 10% of the area previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated an UT report for this date. The member is identified as OBG Components. The weld designations reviewed are as follows:

- -(SA3114D-026-006)
- -(SA3114D-027-006)
- -(SA3114D-028-006)
- -(SA3114D-030-006)
- -(SA3114D-031-006)
- -(SA3114D-032-006)
- -(SA3114D-008-006)
- -(SA3114D-009-006)
- -(SA3114D-010-006)
- -(SA3114D-033-006)

Green Tag issued on all the above components. Green tag number is 015064

This QA inspector performed VT of approximately 100% of the area previously inspected and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. VT was performed on the welds and the base metal of the anchor house assembly, before welding of the closure plate. The member is identified as Bike Path Components. The weld designations

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reviewed are as follows:

- -(BK004A3-056-065, 067, 068, 100, 101, 102, 069, 070, 071, 103, 104, 105)
- -(BK004A4-056-080, 082, 083, 100, 101, 102, 085, 086, 087, 103, 104, 105)

Material storage yard.

This QA inspector witnessed the check/cut samples for destructive test. The material grade is A709M-345F2-X. The check samples were cut for the destructive test for the fracture critical Plates. The heat number and thickness of the plates are as below:

1. Heat#10402783N2 Thickness-35 mm

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During random in process visual inspection of the bike path component, this QA inspector observed the following issue;

- -ZPMC personnel was removed the steel backing bar from the CJP weld.
- -According to the Weld Detail drawing, this weld is CJP with steel backing bar.
- -After complete welding of this weld with steel backing bar, CT QA inspector observed the excessive root opening between steel backing bar and the base plate. (For more information, please review the incident report#1648, generated on 10/28/2010)
- -The steel backing bar was removed by carbon arc gouging from the area having a more root opening (more than 6mm).

For further information, please find attached Pictures.

Unless otherwise noted, all observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.





Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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| Inspected By: | Patel, Hiranch | Quality Assurance Inspector |
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| Reviewed By: | McClendon, Timothy | QA Reviewer |